

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the specification by replacing the paragraph at page 8, line 23 to page 9, line 2 with the following paragraph:

—Hydrocarbyl substituted acylating agents are made by well known known techniques, such as by the reaction of maleic anhydride with the desired polyolefin or chlorinated polyolefin, under reaction conditions well known in the art. For example, such succinic anhydrides may be prepared by the thermal reaction of a polyolefin and maleic anhydride, as described in U.S. Pat. Nos. 3,361,673; 3,676,089; and 5,454,964. Alternatively, the substituted succinic anhydrides can be prepared by the reaction of chlorinated polyolefins with maleic anhydride, as described, for example, in U.S. Pat. No. 3,172,892. A further discussion of hydrocarbyl-substituted succinic anhydrides can be found, for example, in U.S. Pat. Nos. 4,234,435; 5,620,486 and 5,393,309. Typically, these hydrocarbyl-substituents will contain from 40 to 500 carbon atoms.—